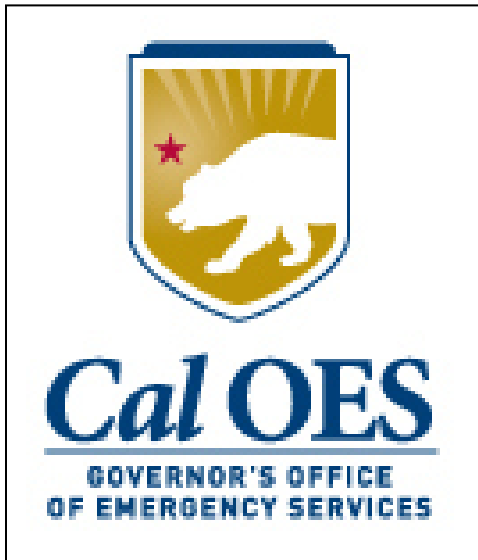


December 2013



## Cal OES Daily Situation Report

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### National Terrorism Advisory System

#### Current Alerts

There are no current alerts

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\* Maps can be viewed in the attachment.

EDO	Rick Stolz
CSWC Watch Officers	Chuck Bickinella (Day), Tim Britt (Night)
FDO	Joe Gear
LDO	Greg Smith
IDO	Dana Owens
CDO	Catrina Christian
SDO	Jim Acosta
PIO	Kelly Huston
TCOM	George Lowry
IT	Peggy Aday
EQ	Mark Johnson
TRIBAL LIAISON POC	Denise Banker
ACCESS and FUNCTIONAL NEEDS POC	Richard Devylder

### I. OPEN DISASTERS/EMERGENCIES: NSTR

### II. WEATHER:

Statewide Extreme Cold and Winter Weather

Hazardous travel exists due to snow accumulations through Saturday over the Sierra Nevada, Klamath Mountains, and adjoining foothills. Temperatures will not be as cold early this morning with very cold overnight temperatures returning Saturday night into Sunday morning and continuing through Tuesday for Bay Area and into mid-week in the Central Valley. Moderating temperatures forecasted statewide starting mid-week.

**Minimum Temperatures Forecast:**

**Sunday:**

**Bay Area**

Santa Rosa -21

Napa - 23

San Francisco - 36

San Jose - 29

**Monday:**

**Bay Area**

Santa Rosa - 24

Napa - 25

San Francisco - 39

San Jose - 30

**Tuesday:**

**Bay Area**

Santa Rosa - 26

Napa - 26

San Francisco - 40

San Jose - 32

**Monterey Coast**

Santa Cruz - 29

Hollister - 24

Salinas - 29

Monterey - 33

**Monterey Coast**

Santa Cruz - 31

Hollister - 25

Salinas - 29

Monterey - 34

**Monterey Coast**

Santa Cruz - 33

Hollister - 27

Salinas - 32

Monterey - 36

**Central Valley**

Sacramento - 27

Stockton - 25

Merced - 21

Fresno - 25

Hanford - 24

**Central Valley**

Sacramento - 26

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Fresno - 26

Hanford - 22

**Central Valley**

Sacramento - 26

Stockton - 23

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**Impacts:**

**Power Outages: NSTR**

**Road Closures:**

**Cal TRANS:**

\* There are no Cal TRANS Emergency Centers activated at this time.

**Lifeline Route Closures:**

There are no Lifeline routes to report at this time.

**Non-Lifeline Route Closures:**

**Tuolumne & Mono Counties**

At approximately 2000 hours on November 18, 2013 State Route 120 was closed from Crane Flat to 5 miles west of the junction of United States Route 395 /Tioga Pass/ due to snow. The route has not reopened.

**Tuolumne & Mono Counties**

At approximately 1600 hours on December 2, 2013 State Route 108 was closed from 26.4 miles east of Strawberry to 3 miles west of the junction of United States Route 395 Sonora Pass due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **Alpine County**

At approximately 1700 hours on December 2, 2013 State Route 4 was closed from 0.5 miles east of the junction of State Route 207 Mt Reba Turn-off/ to the junction of State Route 89 Ebbetts Pass due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **Kern County**

Route closed from 10 miles west of the Junction of SR 223 to 1 mile west of Mojave due to snow. No ETR.

#### **Mono & Alpine Counties**

At approximately 1700 hours on December 2, 2013 State Route 89 was closed from the junction of United States Route 395 to the junction of State Route 4 Monitor Pass due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **Mono County**

At approximately 1515 hours on December 3, 2013 State Route 158 was closed from 3.5 miles north of June Lake Village at Power Plant to the north junction of United States Route 395 due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **Mono County**

At approximately 2230 hours on December 3, 2013 State Route 120 was closed from 5.1 miles west of the junction of United States Route 395 to 7.5 miles west of the junction of United States Route 6 due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **Trinity County**

At approximately 1818 hours on December 6, 2013 State Route 3 was closed from 20 miles north of Trinity Center to 3 miles south of Callahan at Scott Mountain due to snow. The route has not reopened.

#### **El Dorado County**

At approximately 0022 hours on December 7, 2013 State Route 89 was closed from 5 mile north of United States Route 50 to Bliss State Park due to hazardous conditions. The route has not reopened.

#### **Local Emergency Proclamation, Santa Clara County (New)**

A Proclamation from Santa Clara County has been received proclaiming a local emergency due to the NWS issued Freeze Warning December 6, 2013. There is no request for State assistance.

\* The Cal OES LDO confirmed with the Santa Clara Sheriff's Office the information provided in the proclamation is verified; four freeze related deaths thus far. Three of those occurred in the last couple days, with the fourth occurring on 11/28 in Saratoga.

\* Santa Clara County deactivated their EOC at approximately 1955 hours December 6, 2013 and will not be activating over the weekend. Santa Clara County will be conducting conference calls at 1200 hours and 1800 hours through the weekend until 1200 hours Monday. The Cal OES CDO will be present on the calls and continues to monitor the situation.

### **California Contingency Plan for Extreme Cold / Freeze Emergencies Phase III (New)**

In accordance with the California Contingency Plan for Extreme Cold / Freeze Emergencies; Phase III actions are taken when conditions pose severe threat and one or more various actions exist. The submission of a Proclamation of Local Emergency by Santa Clara County is one of the conditions that initiate Phase III actions of the Emergency Plan.

- \* The CSWC prepared an Executive Weather Briefing and notified the key stakeholders of the transition to Phase III of the Emergency Plan and the potential for State conference calls this weekend.
- \* A State Weather Conference Call will be held this morning, 12/7/13 at 1000 hours.
- \* The California State Warning Center, in coordination with the National Weather Service, continues to monitor the weather statewide; specifically, for any cold/freezing weather of concern and will brief key response agencies as the situation warrants.
- \* The three administrative regions have conducted outreach to accumulate relevant information from their Operational Areas (OA's) affected by the extreme cold weather conditions.
- \* Inland Region Operational Areas have not reported any damage or issues that involve the agricultural industry such as crops, livestock or poultry. At this time, various faith based groups and churches across the region have opened their doors as warming centers for the homeless.
- \* Coastal Region – Operational Areas are receiving reports from the National Weather Service and they are following their protocols for the cold weather. Solano County opened two shelters today for the remainder of the week.
- \* Southern Region – Polled all of the region's OAs for various weather activities. Warming centers/shelters are open throughout the region and are reported to be Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant.

### **State Agency / Department Activities:**

The California Department of Food and Agriculture continues to monitor the predicted freezing temperatures and will continue to work collaboratively with growers and other commodity groups in the midst of harvest (citrus and avocados) to assist with minimizing damage and protecting the consumer. CDFA will keep Cal OES apprised of early impact indicators that are received from their local Agriculture partners; there are currently no damage reports.

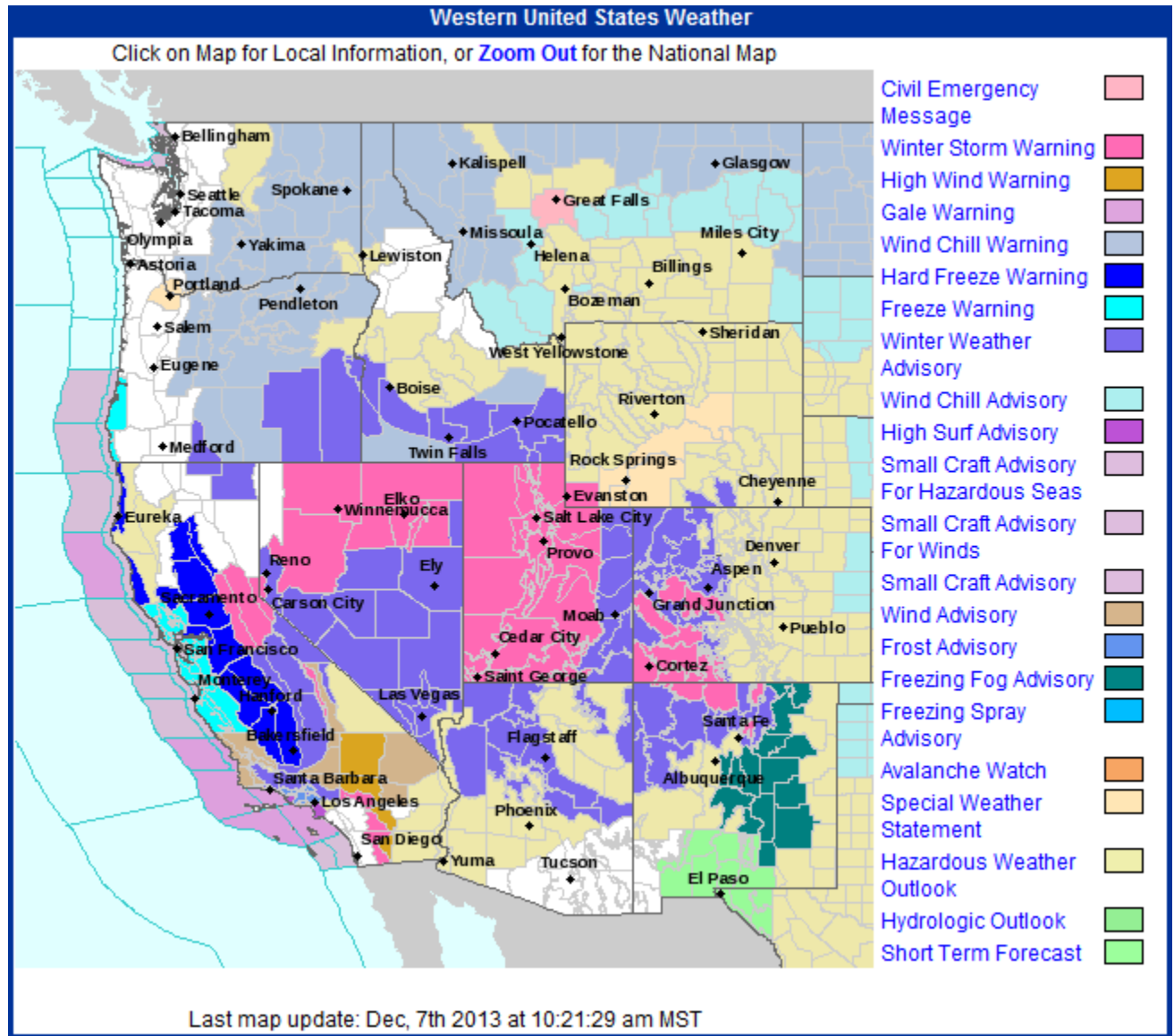
The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Licensing and Certification Program has issued an All Facility Letter (AFL) on their California Health Alert Network (CAHAN), to CDPH partners and stakeholders advising that California is expected to reach freeze warning temperatures and hard-freeze temperatures of subzero in some regions. Facilities that are impacted by an emergency or disaster-related occurrence, and an evacuation, transfer, or discharge of patient's results as a response to the emergency, are required to contact CDPH Licensing and Certification (L&C).

### **Operational Area Activations:**

San Joaquin County will be activated at Level 1, from 0700 – 1900 hours through the weekend in response to cold weather related activities.

**\*\*Detailed Operational Area Sheltering Activities Attached\*\***

## State Weather Map



### III. FIRES:

#### Overall Fire Risk:

##### **Northern California**

Many areas continue to have rather dry dormant and exposed fuels as precipitation and snow cover have been limited. Most areas have at least patches of relatively dry fuels still. This incoming weather system will change that for some areas, but for the lower elevations, the drying, warming conditions that follow Sunday into Tuesday will return the cured/dormant/exposed fuels to at least a low level of dryness again. More areas will drop out of relatively dry fuels as there is likely to be lingering snow cover and north and east aspects in many areas will receive little sunlight to help the NE winds dry things out rapidly there.

### **Southern California**

Cool and damp weather should keep large fire potential low over the weekend. However, an increase in winds can be expected early next week during the night and morning hours through some of the passes of Southern California, mainly across Los Angeles and Ventura Counties. Although temperatures will be relatively cool, gusty offshore winds may allow for rapid rates of spread in any new start in the windy areas. Winds should decrease by the middle of next week. Light Initial Attack (IA) may be possible next Monday and Tuesday, otherwise, resource demand will continue to be low.

### **Preparedness Levels:**

#### **National Preparedness Level 1**

### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

### **IV. SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY:**

#### **Northern California: NSTR**

#### **Southern California: NSTR**

### **CAL OES MISSIONS:**

**New Missions: NSTR**

#### **Ongoing Missions:**

**2013-Southern-1468** Cal Trans/State Parks, Crystal Cove Slope Repair, Orange County, **Update 12/02/13:** Per Cal Trans, the majority of the work has been completed, but there is still some minor work that needs to be done. The roadway is currently back open with no lane closures or travel restrictions. [Due to unforeseen circumstances the estimated time for completion has been moved to the third week of December.](#)

**Closed Missions: NSTR**

### **EMAC New Mexico**

**2013-SOC-1568**, Cal OES coordinated the deployment of two (2) Santa Barbara County personnel to the State of New Mexico for a 21-day public assistance mission beginning 11/17/13 and ending 12/20/13 in support of the recent flooding.

\* Richard Abrams, Public Assistance Recovery Specialist

\* Joseph Guzzardi, Public Assistance Recovery Specialist

### **EMAC Colorado**

**2013-SOC-1459**, Two (2) Public Assistance Crew Leaders from Cal OES Recovery were deployed to Colorado beginning 11/12/13 and ending 12/13/13. Public Assistance personnel are paired with FEMA Crews to provide assistance to communities impacted by the flood. Colorado requested the extension of both team members. Due to workload concerns, California approved the extension of Richard Green until 12/21/2013. John Schuessler will return to California as scheduled on 12/13/2013.

\* John Schuessler, Disaster Assistance Program Specialist  
\* Richard Green, Disaster Assistance Program Specialist

**2013-SOC-1417**, four (4) Public Assistance staff from Cal OES Recovery were deployed to Colorado beginning, 10/28/2013 and ending 12/2/13. Public Assistance personnel are paired with FEMA Crews for communities declared in the disaster. Colorado requested and California approved the extension of all team members until 12/21/2013.

\* Donald Cardenas, Public Assistance Crew Leaders  
\* Robert Larsen, Public Assistance Crew Leaders  
\* Glenn Cadman, Public Assistance Crew Leaders  
\* Clyde Muraoka, Public Assistance Crew Leaders

### **V. AGENCY/DEPARTMENT REPORTS: NSTR**

### **VI. UPCOMING EVENTS, TRAINING, EXERCISES: NSTR**

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